

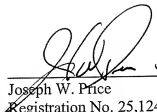
REMARKS

Applicant requests that accelerated examination on the remaining claims be commenced in view of the decision granting our Petition to Make Special on November 15, 2006.

If there are any questions with regards to this matter, the undersigned attorney would appreciate a telephone conference.

Very truly yours,

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